



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Byung-kyu Lee et al.

Application No.: 10/615,956

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Title: PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIA

Reply Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - Expedited **Procedure - Technology Center**

Group Art Unit: 1773

Examiner: KEVIN M BERNATZ

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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed. Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\,\Bigcup \$65.00 (2814) \,\Bigcup \$130.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed. Also enclosed is/are ______ Small entity status is hereby claimed. Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the □ \$395.00 (2801) □ \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. Applicant(s) previously submitted for which continued examination is requested. ■ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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No additional claim fee is required.

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Total Claims	14	MINUS	32 =	0	x	\$50.00	(1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	1	MINUS	3 =	0	×	\$200.00	(1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds n	nultiple depen	dent claim	ıs, add	\$360.00 (1203)				
Total Claim Amendment Fee						\$ 0.00		
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00			
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0.00		

A check in the amount of	of is enclosed for the fee due
Charge	to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.
Charge	to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: